## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA CHARLESTON

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v. CRIMINAL NO. 2:05-00107

VALERI FRIEND

## MOTION TO REDUCE SENTENCE PURSUANT TO RULE 35

Comes now the United States of America, by R. Booth Goodwin II, United States Attorney for the Southern District of West Virginia, pursuant to Rule 35(b) of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure, and moves the Court to reduce defendant's sentence to reflect "defendant's subsequent substantial assistance in investigating or prosecuting another person."

In support of its motion, the United States represents that the defendant Valeri Friend has provided substantial assistance to the United States in the investigation and prosecution of other persons.

Respectfully submitted,

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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